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FIFTY-SECOND YEAR

FIFTY MILLIONS CATTLE RAISERS FOR BIG LOAN MORE THAN ASKED

ANGLO-FRENCH HALF-BIL-LION BOND ISSUE OVER-SUBSCRIBED, ROCKEFEL-
LER ALONE TAKING TEN
MILLION OF THE ISSUE.

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Oct. 4.—The Anglo-French half-billion dollar bond issue has been over-subscribed. It is possible that when the underwriters' books are closed, at 10 o'clock tomorrow, it will be found that \$50,000,000 more than needed has been spoken for. The total pledges up to Saturday night were less than a half million. Sums subscribed today placed the total in excess of the amount of the loan. John D. Rockefeller and William Rockefeller were among those who subscribed. The former is reported as taking ten millions and the latter a lesser sum.

It is reported that Sir Ernest Cassel, former privy council financial adviser of the late King Edward VII, of England, takes five millions, paying with money which was previously and is now on deposit in the United States.

SCHMIDT TRIAL SLOW

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 4.—Progress of the trial of Matthew Schmidt on the charge of murdering Charles Haggerty in connection with the dynamiting of the Times building on October 1, 1910, is slow. Four venere-men were examined and none excused.

GIVES CLAIMS OF THE CARRANZA FACTION

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 4.—Secretary Lansing today received Mico Arredondo, the Washington Carranza representative, who presented the claims of Carranza for recognition by the United States. The secretary had hitherto made a rule not to meet the representatives of the Mexican factions, but in line with a recently announced program, he is gathering information for the next Pan-American conference and there are to be a number of informal conferences during the week with representatives of the revolution elements in Mexico. Arredondo announced tonight that the courts are being organized and business activities are resuming in Mexico, according to a Carranza telegram.

WED THIRTEEN TIMES

EVANSVILLE, Ind., Oct. 4.—Mrs. Polly Anne Weed Strodes, known as "Marrying Polly," because he had been married 13 times, died here today at the age of 69 years.

Last Saturday she was sued for \$10,000 damages by James Handley, who alleged that he was shot last February by Harrison Strodes, the thirteenth husband of Mrs. Strodes, and that Mrs. Strodes urged her husband to assault him.

Physicians believe that the shock caused by the filing of the suit indirectly caused the aged woman's death.

ARE GIVEN A REFUND

APPEAR BEFORE COUNCIL
AND COMPLAIN OF THE
ACTIONS OF POUNDMAS-
TER SHEETS.

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

Cattle raisers around Prescott, over 15 of them, appeared in a body at the city hall last night, and, after telling of their many troubles with the pound-master, convinced the city council that they should be refunded pound fees on their cattle which had been found in the city limits. Stock impounded is assessed at \$5 per head, Pound-Master Sheets getting a dollar of the amount and the city the other four. The council ordered that \$4 be returned to everyone who had been assessed for impounded stock during the past 30 days.

Many of the cattle raisers took a turn at addressing the body and telling their tales of woe. Numerous incidents were related charging Sheets with taking cattle outside of the city limits, which he denied. It was also stated that as soon as he captured a horse or a few cattle he would run them to death trying to get them to the city pound. He also denied this statement.

The cattlemen were all agreed that they tried to keep their stock out of the city and said that they would keep on trying just as hard as they ever have before. Mayor Timmerhoff stated that hereafter the fine would be but \$1 per head, the cattlemen to pay all the damages when any occurred.

The question of whether or not to grade South Alarcon street between Garley and Carleton, which was brought up by Attorney J. E. Russell, was referred to the street committee. According to Russell the question was brought up about 18 months ago, and at that time the city had the proposed work surveyed. It is expected that the committee will act favorably on the matter.

Harry Brisley appeared before the council and complained that he was being over-taxed on both his residential property and his drug shop. He claimed that the city assessor was \$2,000 out of the way when he valued the stock of his store at \$12,000. The council referred the matter to Tax Collector F. H. Williams.

President R. N. Fredericks and H. D. Aitken, chairman of the finance committee of the Northern Arizona Fair Association, appeared before the council and asked that a donation of \$500 be made towards running the fair this year. The body unanimously adopted a motion to grant the amount.

The question of proper sanitation for the sewage from the city of Prescott, that is at present said to be contaminating the waters of Lake Watson, was discussed by the council with W. P. Bidgood, of the Hassayampa Alfalfa Farms Company, participating. No one seemed to have much data on the proper way of caring for the sewage and the matter was finally referred to Bidgood to investigate. According to the contract between the city and the company, which has leased part of the city ranch for the waters of the dam to back upon, the company is to care for the sewage. Bidgood is to confer with City Health Officer H. T. Southworth, and find out exactly what will be required by the city. He declared that none of the sewage was running into the lake and that none has since the first of May. Some kind of a septic tank will probably be constructed by the company to care for the sewage.

RUSSIAN ENDS LIFE

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 4.—A bullet hole through his temple, the body of Paul Holmes, a 22-year-old Russian, was found today in a lodging house, a suicide. Despondency over illness is believed the cause.

MORATORIUM EXTENDED

BERLIN, Oct. 4.—Czar Nicholas has extended the moratorium throughout Russia for another year.

Crisis Fast Approaching That May Force The Balkans Into The War

Time is up For Bulgaria to Show Her Hand---Russian
Ships Are Appearing in the Black Sea and French
And British Are Being Landed on the Frontier.

By Associated Press.

LONDON, Oct. 4.—The time allotted to Bulgaria by the Allies, through Russia, to turn on the central powers expired this afternoon. London is still in the dark. Definite news of King Ferdinand's stand, though expected hourly, was not received at 11 o'clock tonight.

The events are fast shaping the approaching crisis involving the entry of the Balkans into the war. Russian warships have appeared in the Black sea off the Bulgarian port, Varna. French and British troops have landed at Saloniki, a Greek port 50 miles south of the Bulgarian frontier. Bulgarian troops are massed in great numbers on the Serbian border.

The gist of the report in the Athens papers was that the appearance of the French and British troops in Greece when Greece is outwardly neu-

tral should not cause excitement, as their mission was to defend the railway against Bulgarian aggression and give help to Serbia as an ally of Greece.

The Greek minister in London refused to comment on the report that the Hellenic government considered the landing of the allied troops in violation of neutrality and had formally protested to both countries.

Germany's claims that it has taken most of the Hohenzollern redoubt, in the west, is admitted in Field Marshal French's latest report.

Berlin charges that the British used asphyxiating gases in the recent offensive. The British make no answer.

German Steamer Torpedoed.

LONDON, Oct. 4.—The German steamer Svonio, of Stettin, has been torpedoed in the Baltic by a British

submarine. Ten of the crew landed and the remainder came in on the Sassiniz. The Copenhagen version of the incident says that the Svonio ran ashore after the submarine fired.

Would Protect Roumania.

LONDON, Oct. 4.—A Bucharest dispatch says that Premier Bratianu received a deputation from opposition leaders who asked that an immediate mobilization order be made to prevent Roumania from being surrounded by her enemies. He replied that mobilization was needless.

Those American Atrocities.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 4.—Ambassador Morgenthau, at Constantinople, was instructed to inform the Turkish minister of foreign affairs that the reports of the Armenian atrocities had stirred the United States and a break threatens its present friendly relations unless they cease.

MILITIA ENCAMP IN CLIFTON DISTRICT

By Associated Press.

CLIFTON, Oct. 4.—Clifton was dark for an hour tonight, 50 miners having tied the engineer of the Arizona Copper Company light plant. They switched off the current, marched through the business section and hurled rocks through the windows of the company pharmacy offices. Deputy sheriffs dispersed the miners without difficulty.

CLIFTON, Oct. 4.—Forty-eight picked militiamen are encamped on the courthouse grounds ready to aid Sheriff Cash to preserve order among the striking miners if necessary. Quiet has prevailed in the Clifton-Morenci district. The sheriff declared that with the miners offering to meet the company officials in another effort to settle their differences, every effort will be made by county officials to conclude negotiations whereby 8,000 miners will return to work.

VON BERNSTORFF IS GIVE A FREE REIN

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Oct. 4.—Count von Bernstorff, the German ambassador, was given full authority to carry the Arabic negotiations to a conclusion without reference to the German government, according to a statement made tonight from an authoritative source. The material turned over to Secretary Lansing by the ambassador Saturday was a personal memorandum and not a formal communication from Berlin.

VON PAPPEN BOBS UP

NEW YORK, Oct. 4.—Captain Franz von Pappen, the military attaché of the German embassy, who recently, while on the Pacific coast, announced that he probably would go to Mexico, unexpectedly appeared here at a dinner tonight given by the Austro-Hungarian Ambassador Dum-ba, who sails tomorrow for Holland.

Mediation Plan Rockefeller Is To Be Accepted

By Associated Press.

DENVER, Oct. 4.—The directors of the Colorado Fuel & Iron Company have accepted in behalf of the company the Rockefeller industrial plans. The miners of the half dozen camps of the company in Southern Colorado are taking referendum votes and it is believed the ballot will be overwhelmingly in favor of cooperative mediation sponsored by Rockefeller, Jr. Five of 11 directors of the company were present at the meeting at which the plan was accepted. It is believed the others will sign the minutes giving a majority vote approval.

Rumors that Governor George Carlson is on the point of ordering the dismissal of most of the criminal charges which were the outgrowth of the coal strike of 1914, are current. Rockefeller conferred with the governor on the general industrial situation, but both denied that Rockefeller suggested such action. The governor said he was undecided whether to instruct the attorney general to dismiss any or all the cases. The attorney general has not received such instruction, and said that as far as he was advised, the cases would be tried on schedule.

Start Relief Work In Stricken City

By Associated Press.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 4.—Extensive relief work was begun in New Orleans today, where Wednesday's hurricane caused the death of and injured more than 300, and made thousands homeless, tons of supplies being forwarded to the stricken district, where, it is estimated, the damage to the levees exceeds a million dollars.

Slides At Panama Worst In History

By Associated Press.

PANAMA, Oct. 4.—Lieutenant Colonel Chester Harding, the engineer in charge of the Panama canal, today recommended that President Wilson issue an order formally closing the canal until November 1. Harding explains that it is impossible to clear the channel before then, as conditions caused by new slides are said to be the worst in the history of the canal.

GERMANY WANTS FOOD FOR HER BEET SEEDS

By Associated Press.

SALT LAKE, Oct. 4.—The German government's communication naming the conditions on which Germany will permit the exportation of sugar beet seeds to the United States, was transmitted by the state department at a meeting of the United States Sugar Manufacturers Association. Germany must receive \$850,000 worth of food products from the United States, and this government to supervise the distribution and prohibit re-exportation, are the conditions.

SENTENCED TO PRISON

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 4.—Isaac Eddy, an Algerian, who on March 18 shot and instantly killed his sister, Princess Zeiha Eddy, in a concession on the zone at the exposition, where she was employed, was sentenced to serve nine years in San Quentin.

URGES PLAN OF INSURANCE OF PEACE

By Associated Press.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 4.—Peace insurance, based on a world league federation, in which all nations have been delegated such authority as will enable an organization to enforce peace internationally, was urged by Darwin Kingsley, the president of the New York Life Insurance Company, at the opening of the world's insurance congress. Kingsley deplored unpreparedness against war on the part of the United States in absence of definite steps to form an adequate peace league.

CONDITION IS SERIOUS

NEW YORK, Oct. 4.—The condition of Rear Admiral Charles Sigbee, who is undergoing treatment in the naval hospital at Brooklyn, was reported as serious today.

BOARD EXPECTED TO BUILD ROAD TO DRY FARM A BIGGER NAVY THE PROGRAM FOR CONGRESS TO TAKE

IS TO BE CONSTRUCTED
THROUGH THE GRANITE
DELLS AND ON TO THE
LOOP.

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

Work on a road through the Dells to the Dry Farm and on to the loop road is expected to be started within the next week. At a lively session of the board of supervisors yesterday a committee of over a dozen prominent business men and members of the Chamber of Commerce made a request that the \$3,500 which has been donated for the purpose of constructing a road from the loop to the Dry Farm be used to better advantage by having the road made into a continuation of the loop rather than a branch from it to the farm.

It had been intended to construct the highway as a branch from the loop road northeast of the Dells because it was feared that it would cost a large sum to build it through the point of rocks. L. L. Bates, as one of the committee, presented a letter he had received from Maney Brothers & Company, in which they declared that they would construct the road to the farm through the Dells with proper drainage and a 6 per cent grade at a cost of \$3,100. They also stated in the letter that they would build the rest of the road to the loop for the sum of \$400, taking up the full amount of \$3,500.

If Maney Brothers & Company will back the letter up, work on the road is certain to be started in a short time, for the supervisors agreed that the proposition, as it stood, was one of the best that could possibly be offered. The concern is to start a surveyor out on the work of lining up the road today and give specifications for its building. After the surveyor completes his work a contract is expected to be formed and work started.

Those on the committee were: T. G. Norris, F. C. Whisman, L. L. Bates, O. A. Hesla, Dr. R. J. Roper, R. M. Buehler, H. D. Aitken, W. A. Drake, Ed. Kastner, M. B. Hazeltine, Ed. Meek, R. N. Fredericks and J. A. Hope.

After attending to routine business the board adjourned until this morning at 10 o'clock.

NEW YORK WILL WAGE WAR ON MASHERS

NEW YORK, Oct. 4.—Police department officials are waiting with much interest the construction the courts will place on an amendment to the penal law, which became effective last week and which is designed to rid the city of masHERS. An order was sent to every precinct two weeks ago by the police commissioner directing that the amended section be strictly enforced. The subdivision, as amended, applies not only to masHERS but to any persons loitering about the streets, shops or factories with evil intent, and it is believed that it will be of great service in ridding the city of "white slavers." No test case has been made under the new law, and the police have not as yet announced how they intend to enforce it. It is rumored around police headquarters, however, that police matrons will be sent out to gather evidence and to trap annoyers of women. The amendment is in that section of the penal law devoted to vagrancy, and its strength lies, the police believe, in the fact that it is obligatory upon magistrates to impose a work-house sentence, not a fine, on conviction.

MINNEAPOLIS STAYS WET

MINNEAPOLIS, Oct. 4.—Hennepin county, of which Minneapolis is the county seat, voted to retain the saloon in a county option election today.

COPPER

NEW YORK, Oct. 4.—Electrolytic, \$18.25.

WEATHER FORECAST

For Arizona: Fair.

PLANS PREPARED FOR
BATTLE CRUISER TO BE
FASTER THAN ANY
AFLOAT; TO COST \$18,000-
000 EACH.

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 4.—Superior battle cruisers, bigger, faster and more heavily armed than any afloat or building and costing \$18,000,000 to construct and equip, will be recommended to congress as part of the navy building program next year. This decision was reached at a conference between the president, Secretary Daniels and Representative Padgett, chairman of the house naval affairs committee. Plans have already been prepared under the direction of Rear Admiral Taylor, chief constructor of the navy. The number to be asked for is undetermined.

Owing to the increase in the construction cost of the dreadnaughts, which will be recommended this winter, the cost will be \$18,000,000 each, as against \$15,000,000 of those now building. Plans of the battle cruisers contemplate a speed of 35 knots, and they will not only be faster than any, but the swiftest destroyers. Daniels intimated that a building program for submarines will be urged which will make possible an inner line of defense along the coast.

RAISE IN FOOD PRICES CAUSES NEAR PANIC

CHRISTIANIA, Norway, Oct. 4.—

(Correspondence of the Associated Press).—Something very close to a panic is spreading over both Norway and Sweden, as a result of the alarming scarcity of provisions and the unprecedented prices which are demanded for the simplest kind of food. Norway is now on the point of following Sweden's lead in prohibiting the export of all provisions of which there is a present shortage, in order that prices may be brought down within reach of the poorer classes.

The advance in prices in Norway is approximately the same as in Sweden, but in some cases it has been even more marked. Herring, which is one of the main articles of diet among the peasant population, have risen from two cents to four and a half and five cents apiece, and the present price of oatmeal is 250 per cent higher than it was before the war.

ANKLE WATCH BARRED

COVINGTON, Ky., Oct. 4.—Ankle watches on cords and fraternity pins on boys' socks will be seen no more in the Covington high school.

The principal today issued an official edict prohibiting the use of such ornaments and threatening violators of the new rule with expulsion.

The students are angered over the decree and a mass meeting to protest and formulate plans to have the order rescinded is being considered.